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Form 6-K

REPORT OF FOREIGN PRIVATE ISSUER PURSUANT TO RULE 13a-16 OR 15d-16 UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the Month of September 2002

EDP- Electricidadé de Portugal

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EDP FINALISES THE ACQUISITION OF A 10% STAKE IN TURBOGÁS

EDP – Electricidade de Portugal, S.A ("EDP"), through its subsidiary EDP Participações, S.G.P.S, S.A., acquired from Siemens Project Ventures GmbH ("SPVG") its 10% stake in the share capital of Turbogás Produtora Energética S.A. ("Turbogás"), as well as, the total balance of shareholder loans to Turbogás owned by SPVG.

The total consideration paid by EDP is of €21.2 million, of which €13.6 million represent the acquisition of 10% of the company's share capital and €7.6 million correspond to the total balance of shareholder loans from SPVG to Turbogás as of September 27th, 2002, now owned by EDP.

Since all the necessary approvals have now been obtained, this transaction executes the share purchase agreement signed last July.

Following today's acquisition, EDP raises its stake in Turbogás from the previously owned 10% to 20%, which represents a further step in consolidating the EDP Group's position in the Iberian energy market, in line with the group's strategic objectives.

Turbogás was incorporated in Portugal in 1994 with the sole purpose of carrying out the development, construction and operation of a combined-cycle gas fired power station at Tapada do Outeiro, Portugal, with a total installed capacity of



990MW (the "Project"). Turbogás sells the whole of its production (5.951 GWh in 2001) under a Power Purchase Agreement with REN, within the Portuguese Supply Public System. The Project was financed by an international bank syndicate under a project finance structure.

The remaining shareholders of Turbogás are RWE and Koch Transporttechnik holding 75% and 5% respectively.

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Annex Turbogás' Financials

Income Statement (€ m)	2000	2001	1H2002
Revenues	290.5	297.3	168.1
Direct Costs	188.5	203.7	114.6
Gross Profit	102.0	93.6	53.5
Outside supplies and services Personnel costs Other operating costs (or revenues) Operating Costs	15.4 0.4 0.1 15.8	38.4 0.4 0.0 38.9	12.2 0.2 (0.3) 12.1
EBITDA	86.2	54.7	41.4
Depreciations	42.9	42.7	21.4
EBIT'	43.4	12.1	19.9
Financial Results Extraordinary Results Income taxes	(48.5) 13.3 2.9	(46.5) (3.4) (11.8)	(19.4) 0.1 -
Net Income	5.2	(26.0)	0.6

Balance Sheet (€ m)	2000	2001	1H2002
Intangible assets	56.3	38.4	29.4
Fixed assets	557.6	528.0	516.0
Current assets	2.9	12.8	3.2
Cash and cash equivalents	15.3	6.9	17.4
Accruals and deferrals	27.9	52.3	47.5
Total assets	659.9	638.5	613.5
Provisions	0.7	0.7	0.7
Financial debt	532.1	518.6	511.4
Other medium and long term liabilities	92.7	88.2	88.2
Other short term liabilities	8.0	12.7	0.4
Accruals and deferrals	16.4	34.2	28.0
Total liabilities	649.8	654.3	628.7
Shareholders' equity	10.1	(15.9)	(15.2)
Total liabilities and shareholders' equity	659.9	638.5	613.5

SIGNATURES.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Dated: September 30, 2002

EDP- Electricidade de Portugal, S.A.

Name: Francisco de la Fuente Sánchez

Title: Director & Chief Executive Officer